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<b>DISPATCH</b>		CLASSIFICATION <b>SECRET</b>	DISPATCH SYMBOL AND NO. <b>EASA-5238</b>
TO INFO	Chief of Station, Vienna Chief, IE		HEADQUARTERS FILE NO. <b>6-124-27/5</b>
FROM	Chief of Base, Salzburg		DATE <b>4 SEP 1959</b>
SUBJECT	GRCROON/OPERATIONS Progress Report for UW Areas #1 and #5		RE: "43-3" - (CHECK "X" ONE) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKED FOR INDEXING <input type="checkbox"/> NO INDEXING REQUIRED
ACTION REQUIRED	None, for your information and file.		INDEXING CAN BE JUDGED BY QUALIFIED HQ. DESK ONLY

REFERENCE(S)

**EASA-523, 13 July 1959**

1. Forwarded herewith are the bimonthly reports for UW areas #1 and #5. We do not yet have assets in UW areas #3 and #7.

2. In early September [ ] plans to personally turn over all of the GRCROON agents to his successor. His successor will contact our agents who for one reason or another cannot be met before [ ] departure with an emergency signal or will be introduced to them by [ ] No turnover problems are anticipated.

3. The GRCROON caching plans for this summer have been postponed pending completion of Headquarters' review of the overall staybehind caching program. We hope to begin caching small weapons and survival kits, providing the equipment is available, during the spring of 1960.

RECRUITMENT PROGRAM

4. We have contacted GAFIX and have received his promise to assist us in spotting staybehind assets in UW Area #3 and possibly in Areas #2 and #7. [ ] complete report of contact and recruitment and a PRQ Part II will be forwarded by separate dispatch.

Attachments:

- 1) UW Area #1 (N/S)
- 2) UW Area #5 (N/S)
- 3) Identities 1-3 (N/S/G)

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**REPORT ON US AREA NO. 1 FOR THE PERIOD 1 JULY THROUGH 15 AUGUST 1959:**

**I. PROGRESS**

- A. Personnel: GRELAND-26 is the P/A for this area and GRELAND-31 is his W/T operator. GRELAND-4, whom we plan to terminate during September, is included in this report for administrative reasons.
- B. Status: GRELAND-26 and GRELAND-31 are progressing in their tradecraft training and, in the case of GRELAND-31, also in W/T training. We still expect them to be a satisfactory OW nucleus in 1960. We plan to terminate GRELAND-4 during early September because he does not seem capable of handling an assignment as P/A and there is no need for an "unattached" sub-agent. (GHEFAIR-16 who, for instance, also falls in the category of sub-agent is controlled by P/A GHEFAIR-6.)
- C. Security: The security of this area presents no problem.
- D. Training: GRELAND-31 participated in one day of tradecraft training, involving casing of meeting sites and collection of ID's. Other Phase I subjects were also reviewed. Agent underwent two weeks of W/T training in Frankfurt and we are awaiting a training evaluation to determine if agent can now be considered a competent operator.
- E. Equipment: Neither agent has been issued any equipment.
- F. Administration: GRELAND-31 has been given DM 600.00 in operational advances. Some of the agents in this area have been paid salaries during this reporting period.

**II. PLANNING**

- A. Status: We plan to terminate GRELAND-4 in early September as he can no longer be considered a viable asset for this area. This should cause no security complications. We will continue to train GRELAND-26 and GRELAND-31 whenever they can make themselves available.
- B. Equipment: Plans to "blind" cache arms and equipment in this and other areas as well as W/T sets for GRELAND-31 during the summer of 1959 were postponed (see HIR 38820, 6 August 1959) as Headquarters is reviewing the whole caching program, and the equipment requested is not presently available. We hope to carry out our caching program in the spring or summer of 1960. We intend to recover an air reception cache in the custody of GRELAND-4 when we terminate him.

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**REPORT ON UN AREA NO. 5 FOR THE PERIOD 1 JULY THROUGH 31 AUGUST 1959:**

**I. PROGRESS**

- A. Personnel: GREENPAIR-7 is the P/A for this area and GREENPAIR-17 is his W/T operator.
- B. Stations: GREENPAIR-7 has turned in information on an LI in his area and has been instructed to compile a complete report. He has also received several hours of tradecraft instruction in Phase I subjects. GREENPAIR-17 has received his initial W/T training and achieved a receiving speed of 8-10 groups per minute.
- C. Security: There have been no problems during the reporting period. Agent (GREENPAIR-7) said he thinks he has discovered the identity of Identity-1's Communist contact (Verbindungsman). (Identity-1 is one of the two persons agent reported on as being a suspected Communist.) He said a salesman, Identity-2, from Vienna has come to town several times to visit Identity-1. This, he believes, is suspicious because the man spends more time there than a bona fide salesman would get as a vacation (Identity-1 is a schoolmaster). Agent also noted that Identity-1 and the salesman took a pleasure drive to Identity-3 on a miserable rainy day; another suspicious action. He said he would get more information on the man if he could do so without creating suspicion. The importance of exercising greatest caution in doing this was impressed upon him and he said he understood that he had no desire to be placed on the Communist's extermination list.
- D. Training: GREENPAIR-7 underwent training and review in Phase I subjects. He was also given some briefing material and told to begin instructing GREENPAIR-17 in elementary tradecraft. Agent said he would conduct this briefing at a mountain inn but which they sometimes visit on weekends. GREENPAIR-17 took his initial two weeks of W/T training and communications officers were well satisfied with his progress. Apparently he has retained some of what he learned while in the German Air Force in World War II. (We have not yet received a formal report from Frankfurt, but will forward a copy when it is received.)
- E. Equipment: No equipment other than the Trix tape recorder given to GREENPAIR-17 has been issued to the agents in this area.
- F. Administration and Finances: GREENPAIR-7 has been paid salary and expenses through July 1959. GREENPAIR-17 was given salary through July 1959. However, mileage money for a return trip from a Russian W/T training session is still due him. This agent does not know he is getting a definite salary as is the case (AS 250.00/month). Money is given him in the form of bonuses at irregular intervals. He is to believe this is a reward for good performance rather than a set salary that will be paid regardless of how he does.

**II. PLANNING**

Both agents will continue to be trained in tradecraft and in the case of GREENPAIR-17, also in W/T. They will be turned over to FANIAL's successor during September.

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